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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.	ADDRESS TO: Attorney Docket No. 081427-0303948 First Inventor ERIC RANIERI Title See attached addendum Express Mail Label No.
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1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(including fee(s) and any required statement for payment)
2. Statement concerning status of entity for filing
Applicant claims small entity status.
 See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. Specification
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Description of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement concerning priority of filing or sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 12]
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- a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
- b. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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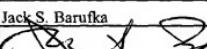
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Serial No. _____ Date _____

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Application Number	
Filing Date	August 26, 2003
First Named Inventor	ERIC RANIERI
Examiner Name	
Art Unit	
Attorney Docket No.	081427-0303948

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Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee
1001 750	2001 375	Utility filing fee				750.00
1002 330	2002 165	Design filing fee				
1003 520	2003 260	Plant filing fee				
1004 750	2004 375	Reissue filing fee				
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee				
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
35	-20* = 15	x 18 =	270
Independent	2	- 3** = 0	0
Claims			
Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee	
1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20	
1201 84	2201 42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203 280	2203 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204 84	2204 42	" Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205 18	2205 9	" Reissues claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		
1053 130	2053 65	Non-English specification		
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		
1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month		
1252 410	2252 205	Extension for reply within second month		
1253 930	2253 465	Extension for reply within third month		
1254 1,450	2254 725	Extension for reply within fourth month		
1255 1,970	2255 985	Extension for reply within fifth month		
1401 320	2401 160	Notice of Appeal		
1402 320	2402 160	Filing brief in support of an appeal		
1403 280	2403 140	Request for oral hearing		
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable		
1453 1,300	2453 650	Petition to revive - unintentional		
1501 1,300	2501 650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
1502 470	2502 230	Design issue fee		
1503 630	2503 315	Plant issue fee		
1460 130	1460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
1807 50	1807 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)		
1808 180	1808 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
8021 40	8021 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		40.00
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1810 750	2810 375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))		
1801 750	2801 375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
1802 900	2802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application		
Other fee (specify)				
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